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## City of Conway, Arkansas Ordinance No. O-12-59

## AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR EMPLOYEE APPRECIATION BONUS; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES:

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Conway would like to recognize the efforts of full time and part time city employees through the award of an employee appreciation bonus, for which funding must be provided; and

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Conway committed to paying City of Conway employees a onetime bonus with the successful passage of the rededication of the 2006 quarter cent sales tax as discussed in Resolutions R-11-73 and R-12-26.

## NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS THAT:

**Section 1:** The City of Conway shall appropriate \$589,423 from Fund Balance Appropriation Accounts to the salary accounts for each department in order to provide an expression of appreciation to all full time employees in the gross amount of \$1,000 and all part time employees in the gross amount of \$500. Each Fund will bear the cost of bonuses for employees, as follows: General Fund - \$460,781; Street Fund - \$37,139, Sanitation Enterprise Fund - \$91,503. All part time elected officials are excluded. To receive a bonus, employees must be hired prior to June 30, 2012.

Section 2: All ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.

**Section 3.** This ordinance is necessary for the protection of the public peace, health and safety; an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED this 26<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2012.

Approved:

**Mayor Tab Townsell** 

Attest:

Michael Ó. Garrett City Clerk/Treasurer